



COMSTAC Meeting

Thursday, October 29, 2009

Marriott Metro Center

775 12th Street NW, Washington, DC 20005

8:00 am – 3:30pm

IMPORTANT!

Please Make Your Own Hotel Arrangements. No Guest Room Availability.

The COMSTAC Meeting is open to the Public: Reservations are not required and there is no Registration.

The Commercial Space Transportation Advisory Committee (COMSTAC) will meet on Thursday, October 29, 2009, from 8:00 am until 3:30 pm at the Marriott Metro Center, 775 12th Street NW, in Downtown, Washington, DC, located adjacent to Metro Center Station on the Red and Blue Metro Lines. Discussions for the meeting will focus on:

- the Committee's work on a White Paper entitled *DoD Impact on U.S. Commercial Launch Services Competitiveness*;
- The Augustine Panel and the implications for the U.S. commercial space transportation industry; and
- Orbital debris mitigation, industry impact, costs, and the role of the FAA.

Interested members of the public may submit relevant written statements for the COMSTAC members to consider under the advisory process. Statements may be concerning the issues and agenda items mentioned above and/or additional issues that may be relevant for the U.S. commercial space transportation industry. Interested parties wishing to submit written statements should contact Brenda Parker, DFO, (the Contact Person listed below) in writing (mail or e-mail). Written statements should be supplied in the following formats: one hard copy with original signature and/or one electronic copy via e-mail. Agenda available at <http://ast.faa.gov>.

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